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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Stoughton et al.

Application No.: 09/374,565

Group Art Unit: 1654

Filed: August 13, 1999

Examiner: To be assigned

For: METHODS FOR IDENTIFYING
PATHWAYS OF DRUG ACTION

Attorney Docket No.: 9301-058

REQUEST FOR REFUND UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.26(a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants, through their attorneys and in accordance with Rule 26(a) of the Rules of Practice, respectfully request a refund of the portion of the filing fee paid in connection with the above-captioned application that is in excess of the amount required. In particular, the filing receipt for the instant application indicates that a filing fee of \$1,522.00 has been paid in connection with the instant application. However and as explained in detail below, a filing fee of only \$761.00 is required. Thus, a refund of **\$761.00** is respectfully requested.

Applicants submit concurrently herewith: (1) a copy of the Request for Filing a Divisional Application Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) that was originally filed with the instant application, attached hereto as Exhibit A; and (2) a Request for Corrected Filing Receipt, including a copy of the issued Filing Receipt for the instant application.

REMARKS

The instant application is a divisional of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/074,983, now U.S. Patent No. 5,964,352, filed on April 8, 1998 (hereinafter the "parent application"). The parent application was filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office with an accompanying Verified Statement (Declaration) Claiming Small Entity Status declaring that Rosetta Inpharmatics, Inc., the sole assignee of the parent and the instant applications,

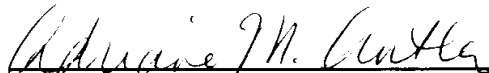
qualifies as a small business concern as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.9(d) for the purposes of paying reduced fees under section 41(a) and (b) of Title 35, United States Code.

Applicants next respectfully direct the Examiner's attention to the Request for Filing a Divisional Application Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) (hereinafter the "Request"; see Exhibit A) which was originally filed with the instant application. A copy of the Request is attached hereto as Exhibit A. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.28(a)(2), Item 9a of the Request includes a reference to the Verified Statement (Declaration) Claiming Small Entity Status submitted with the parent application, and states that Small Entity Status is still proper and desired. Further, Item 1 of the Request includes a calculation of the filing fee due in connection with the instant application. Specifically, Item 1 of the Request states that the total filing fee due for the instant application is a Small Entity Fee of **\$761.00**. However, as noted above, the filing receipt for the instant application erroneously indicates that a Large Entity Filing fee of **\$1,522.00** has been paid.

Applicants submit, therefore, that the filing fee paid in connection with the instant application is **\$761.00** in excess of the amount due. It is respectfully requested that the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office correct this error and credit the excess amount of the filing fee paid to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A duplicate of this document is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

Date April 7, 2000

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Enclosure



Exhibit A

PENNIE & EDMONDS LLP DOCKET NO. 9301-058

Express Mail No.: EL 167 880 247 US

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICEPrior application: Examiner Fredman, J.Art Unit 1634

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is a request for filing a ☐ continuation ☒ divisional application under 37 CFR § 1.53(b), of pending prior application no. 09/074,983 filed on May 8, 1998.

of Roland STOUGHTON and Stephen H. FRIEND
(inventor(s) currently of record in prior application)

for METHODS FOR IDENTIFYING PATHWAYS OF DRUG ACTION
(title of invention)

1. ☒ The filing fee is calculated below and takes into account the claim amendments in the Preliminary Amendment enclosed herewith:

PATENT APPLICATION FEE VALUE

TYPE	NO. FILED	LESS	EXTRA	EXTRA RATE	FEE
Total Claims	45	-20	25	\$18.00 each	\$ 450.00
Independent	7	-3	4	\$78.00 each	\$ 312.00
Basic Fee					\$ 760.00
Multiple Dependency Fee If Applicable (\$260.00)					\$ 0.00
Total					\$ 1,522.00
50% Reduction for Independent Inventor, Nonprofit Organization or Small Business Concern					- \$ 761.00
Total Filing Fee					\$ 761.00

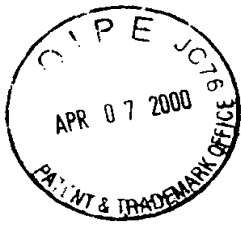
2. ☒ Please charge the required fee to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- 3a. ☐ Transfer the drawings from the prior application to this application and abandon the prior application as of the filing date accorded this application. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed for filing in the prior application file.
- 3b. ☐ New formal drawings are enclosed.

- 3c. ☒ Informal drawings are enclosed.
- 4a. ☐ Priority of application no. filed on in is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.
- 4b. ☐ The certified copy has been filed in prior application no. , filed .
- 5. ☒ The prior application no. 09/074,983 is assigned of record to Rosetta Inpharmatics, Inc. The Assignment was recorded in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on May 8, 1998 at Reel 9202, Frame 0527.
- 6a. ☒ The Power of Attorney appears in the original papers in the prior application no. 09/074,983, filed May 8, 1998.
- 6b. ☒ A copy of the Power of Attorney in prior application no. 09/074,983, filed May 8, 1998 is enclosed.
- 7. ☐ This application contains nucleic acid and/or amino acid sequences required to be disclosed in a Sequence Listing under 37 CFR §§1.821-1.825. It is requested that the Sequence Listing in computer readable form from prior application no., filed on be made a part of the present application as provided for by 37 C.F.R. §1.821(e). The sequences disclosed therein are the same as the sequences disclosed in this application. A copy of the paper Sequence Listing from application no. is enclosed.
- 8. ☐ The undersigned states, under 37 C.F.R. §1.821(f), that the content of the enclosed paper Sequence Listing from application no. is the same as the content of the computer readable form submitted in application no. .
- 9a. ☒ A Verified Statement (Declaration) Claiming Small Entity Status appears in the original papers in the prior application no. 09/074,983 filed May 8, 1998. The Statement declares that Rosetta Inpharmatics, Inc., the sole assignee of the instant application, qualifies as a small business concern as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.9(d), for purposes of paying reduced fees under section 41(a) and (b) of Title 35, United States Code. Small Entity Status is still proper and desired. Accordingly, all fees paid in connection with the instant application, including the filing fee submitted herewith, should be those for a Small Entity.
- 9b. ☒ Please enter the Preliminary Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 submitted herewith

Respectfully submitted,

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REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Attached hereto, please find a copy of the Filing Receipt for the above-captioned application. Applicants also enclose herewith a Request for Refund Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.26(a), including a copy of the Request for Filing a Divisional Application, attached thereto as Exhibit A.

Applicants respectfully request that the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office issue a new filing receipt, correctly indicating that the instant application has been accorded Small Entity Status. As described in the accompanying Request for Refund, the Request for Filing a Divisional Application submitted with the instant application as filed indicates, in Item 9a, that a Verified Statement (Declaration) Claiming Small Entity Status has been filed in connection with priority application serial no. 09/074,983 and that Small Entity Status is still proper and desired for the instant application. Thus, the instant application should be properly accorded Small Entity Status.


It is additionally requested that the new Filing Receipt indicate the correct title of the application: "METHODS FOR IDENTIFYING PATHWAYS OF DRUG ACTION." Specifically, the word "DRUUG" in the title indicated on the Filing Receipt should be "DRUG," as indicated in red ink on the enclosed copy.

Please correct the filing receipt as indicated on the enclosed copy of the same.

Because these errors are on the part of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, it is believed that no fee is required for this Request. However, should a fee be required, please charge the required fee to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A duplicate of this document is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

Date April 7, 2000

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Receipt is acknowledged of this nonprovisional Patent Application. It will be considered in its order and you will be notified as to the results of the examination. Be sure to provide the U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER, FILING DATE, NAME OF APPLICANT, and TITLE OF INVENTION when inquiring about this application. Fees transmitted by check or draft are subject to collection. Please verify the accuracy of the data presented on this receipt. If an error is noted on this Filing Receipt, please write to the Office of Initial Patent Examination's Customer Service Center. Please provide a copy of this Filing Receipt with the changes noted thereon. If you received a "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application" ("Missing Parts Notice") in this application, please submit any corrections to this Filing Receipt with your reply to the "Missing Parts Notice." When the PTO processes the reply to the "Missing Parts Notice," the PTO will generate another Filing Receipt incorporating the requested corrections (if appropriate).

Applicant(s) ROLAND STOUGHTON, SAN DIEGO, CA; STEPHEN H. FRIEND, SEATTLE, WA. ✓

CONTINUING DATA AS CLAIMED BY APPLICANT-

THIS APPLN IS A DIV OF 09/074,983 05/08/98 ✓

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★ SMALL ENTITY ★

TITLE

METHODS FOR IDENTIFYING PATHWAYS OF ~~DRUG~~ ACTION ✓

PRELIMINARY CLASS: 435

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